

**NOTICE AND AGENDA FOR THE ARIZONA GRAIN RESEARCH  
AND PROMOTION COUNCIL MEETING**

The University of Arizona Maricopa Agricultural Center  
37860 West Smith-Enke Road  
Maricopa, Arizona 85239-3010

**Tuesday, August 27, 2013 @ 12:30 p.m.**

Pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.02 notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona Grain Research and Promotion Council (AGRPC) and to the general public that the AGRPC will hold a meeting open to the public at the date, time and location listed above. Members of the AGRPC will attend either in person or by telephone conference call. The AGRPC may vote to hold an executive session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice from the Council's attorney on any matter listed on the agenda pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.03 (A)(3). The Council may take formal action on any of the agenda items listed below.

For the convenience of the Council and the public, the order of the agenda items may be changed at the discretion of the Chair. The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

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| 1. Call to Order/Introductions—                                     | David Sharp                    |
| 2. Roll Call—   | Lisa James                     |
| 3. Approval of Minutes—   | David Sharp                    |
| • April 23, 2013  |                                |
| 4. Action items from prior meetings—                                | Lisa James                     |
| 5. Approval of Financial report—                                    | David Sharp<br>Lisa James      |
| 6. Update and Discussion of 2013 Growing Season—                    | David Sharp                    |
| 7. Update and discussion of the following:                          | Dr. Mike Ottman<br>Researchers |
| Research activities—  |                                |
| Extension activities, meetings, etc.—                               |                                |
| Teaching programs—  |                                |
| University staffing—  |                                |
| 8. Chairman's Summary of Current Events—                            | David Sharp                    |
| 9. U.S. Wheat Director's Summary of Current Events—                 | Michael Edgar                  |
| 10. Executive Director's Summary of Current Events—                 | Al Simons                      |
| <b><u>Old Business</u></b>  |                                |
| 11. Update on application for the Desert Durum® Certification Mark— | David Sharp<br>Al Simons       |
| 12. Update on 2013 Five-year Review Report—                         | Casey Cullings                 |

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| 13. Update on plans for the EU Durum Trade Team visit – August 29-30  | Al Simons                  |
| 14. Discussion and possible approval of support for the Wheat Innovation Alliance                                   | Michael Edgar<br>Al Simons |
| 15. Report, discussion and possible approval of “Supporter “ Membership in the Wheat Foods Quality Council - \$500— | Eric Wilkey                |

**New Business**

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| 16. Discussion of spelt and emmer production in Arizona and whether they qualify for assessments when sold commercially, notification to potential first purchasers— | Eric Wilkey      |
| 17. FY14 Research Grant proposal presentations—  | Grant Applicants |
| 18. Consideration and approval of FY14 Research Grant Awards—  | David Sharp      |
| 19. Approval of FY14 budget adjustments—   | David Sharp      |
| 20. Travel Authorization—  | Al Simons        |
| a. US Wheat Associates fall board meeting - Portland (Michael Edgar)   |                  |
| 21. Arizona Department of Agriculture Update—  | Don Butler       |
| 22. Executive Session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.03(A)(3) on any matter on the agenda—                                      | David Sharp      |
| 23. Next Meeting/Adjourn—  | David Sharp      |

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Dated this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 2013.